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Prof. Houser an Authority on Comparative Neurology—Valuable Piece of Apparatus Added to Equipment

The department of morphology is offering this year for the first time a third year course. It has met with decided encouragement in this departure. Embryology is the study of the early stages in the development of animal forms. Two year's work in this subject has been all that were offered in the past by the department of the early stages in the development of animal forms. Two year's work in this subject has been all that were offered in the past by the department of morphology, but this year a third year course has been offered. The work of this advanced course is concerned with comparative neurology. The caring of this course was only Saturday, at 1:30 p.m. at Close Hall.

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ANIMAL INCUBATOR

A large laboratory incubator was heated up yesterday for the first time in the morphology laboratory. The interesting fact about this piece of laboratory apparatus is its inclusive arrangement. The ordinary incubator is fitted with large trays on which the eggs, under observation, are placed.

The objects of experiment of many scientists being precisely deposited in this way in the incubator, has caused the students, who by mistake one student would take up the eggs another who was working, to be greatly confused and lose their time on the part of the more rapid students who were likely to have their work ruined by careless handling. To guard against this the trays in the new incubator, or fitted with small wire baskets of convenient size for the use of one student. In this way each student was to have a separate incubator, with a separate basket in which to keep the eggs he is working with. He can take out his own tray and study the eggs in it without interfering with the work of others.

Another interesting and valuable piece of apparatus later added to the equipment of the laboratory is a suspended Pantograph for enlarging drawings. With this valuable and delicate piece of scientific mechanism a very small pen drawing can be enlarged to many times its original proportions. In this way small charts and drawings can be enlarged so as to be exhibited to the class without the use of the stereopticon which is always attended with many disagreeable features.

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Calendar for the Week.


March 7—Meeting Iowan Board 4 p. m.

March 11—William Jennings Bryan, Atwood, 8:00 p. m.

The Honor Men Win

In the current number of Popular Science Monthly is a very interesting article on High Grade Men: in College and Out, by Prof. Edwin G. Dexter of the University of Illinois. After carefully considering the subject, Prof. Dexter concludes that the high grade man of his college days is still high grade when put to the severer tests of active life. He reaches this conclusion by figures based upon the twenty-two colleges who have had chapters of Phi Beta Kappa for twenty years or more previous to 1900. Whos who in America is taken as list- ing those who have made a success or attained high grade in their active lives and figures are taken from the edition for 1900. By comparing the total number of graduates of these colleges with the number of such graduates in Whos who and between the total number of Phi Beta Kappa graduates and the number of Phi Beta Kappa graduates in Whos who, it is found that the Phi Beta Kappa men have over twice as good chances of being mentioned in Whos who as the average of the college graduates.

In another table Prof. Dexter computes the number of first, second, third, and fourth place men of an eastern college who have attained mention in Whos who and he finds the percentage of these to gain renown in life to be six times that of the class as a whole.

These figures should certainly prove consoling to those who have been honored by the faculty during their college courses and in light of the conclusions reached those who are elected to Phi Beta Kappa this spring need not feel thattheir whole life is blighted by this honor. No, the college man may study as hard as he wishes. He can't get enough high marks to keep him from success, no matter if he is very bright by nature.

Miss Harriet A. Wood, chief cataloguer in the State University of Iowa, has been called to be the librarian of the Cedar Rapids Library, and has accepted the position. She will continue at the university until next autumn, finishing her year in the summer session. It is a source of regret to the university that she leaves. This is the second time that Miss Wood has been called with the two years that she has had at the university.

Dr. W. L. Biering, bacteriologist at the Iowa State University, has been finding a microorganism which he believes to be that of typhoid fever, in the city water served to Muscatine. Exhastive tests of the microbe and the water are to be further made. Muscatine has the disease strongly developed and the issue of the researches is awaited with great interest. —Davenport Democrat.

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R. C. Morris D. '02 is enjoying an extensive practice at Leon, John Fellingham, L. A. '00, was in the city for a few hours.

The sophomore Homeopathic class have elected O. W. Okerlin as their editor of the Junior Annual.

Judge McCarley Left yesterday for Champaign where he will act as one of the judges in the Indiana-Illinois debate Friday night.

The local chapter of Phi Delta Theta entertained yesterday Mr. William George, L. A. '89, of Aurora, Ills. Mr. George was the leading spirit in the founding of the chapter which took place in 1882. He is now president of the Second National bank of Aurora, Illinois.

Amusements
The Chase-Lister Theater Company will open a weeks engagement at the opera house, commencing Monday, March 9. The Chase-Lister Company are the leading western repertory attraction, making the 9th annual visit to Iowa City. The opening play for Monday evening will be, "Strange Blind." Monday night two ladies or one lady and gent will be admitted on one paid cent ticket.

"King Dodo" by Frank Pixley and Gustav Lodders will be the attraction at the Opera House next Friday, March 6th, and it can be recommended to the music lovers of this city as a performance most worthy of their patronage. "King Dodo" has been played with success in all the large cities of the country and has received unstinted praise for the company, authors and management. Patrons of the Opera House will do well to secure seats in advance as double a record breaking audience will turn out on this occasion.

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The United States Civil Service Commission asks for the names of graduates who may aspire to become candidates for positions in the civil service. The manual of examinations may be seen at the president's office.

The Engineering society will give its first annual banquet on March 19. Miss Ethel Cruikshank of Leon, is visiting Miss Dot Stookey. Erodolphian society aided by Irving will give a farewell at St. Brendan's Hall, Saturday, Mar. 14, at 8:00 p.m.

Prof. Andrews is giving a series of lectures on Metallurgy of Iron to the senior and junior engineers.

The current number of the American Journal of Archaeology contains a short article by Professor Fairbanks. A comparison of an early Greek vase painting and sculptured relief gives evidence of the Goddess Athena, which had not been known.

The Fraternity Assembly at Kenyon Hall this evening will last until one o'clock in order to enable those attending the operas to attend.

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